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Whose untiring efforts in the field of education has
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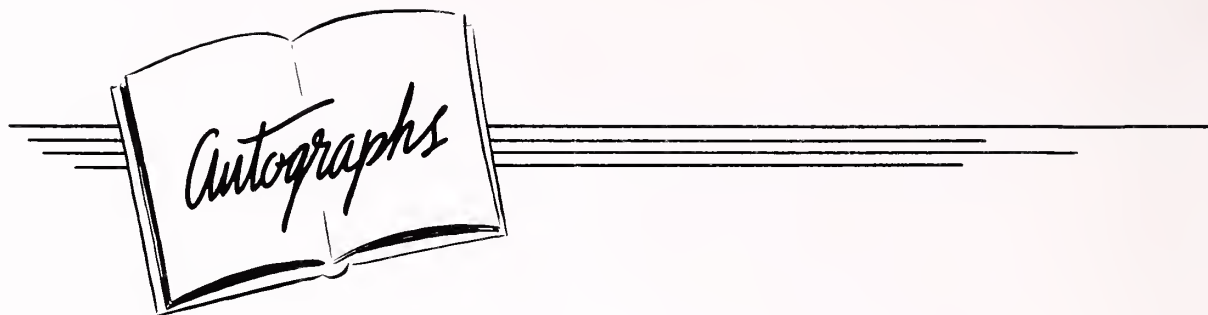
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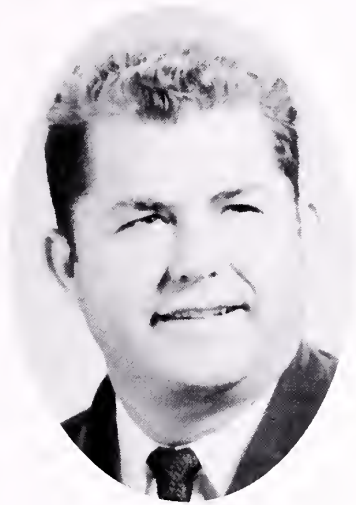


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Principal



MR. BARRETT
Principal

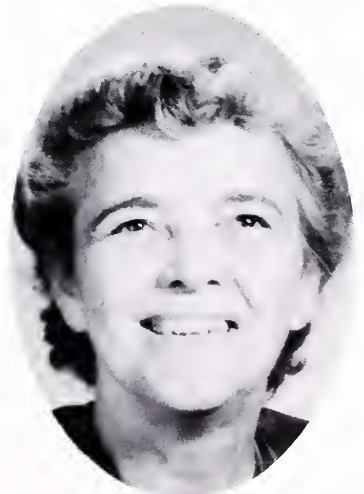
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Commercial Teacher
Junior Class Advisor



MRS. FUQUA
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Advisor and Math Teacher



MRS. MILES
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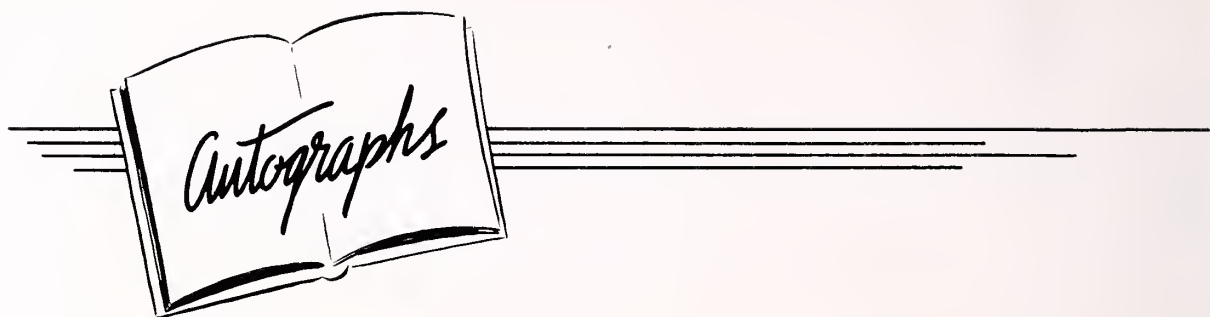


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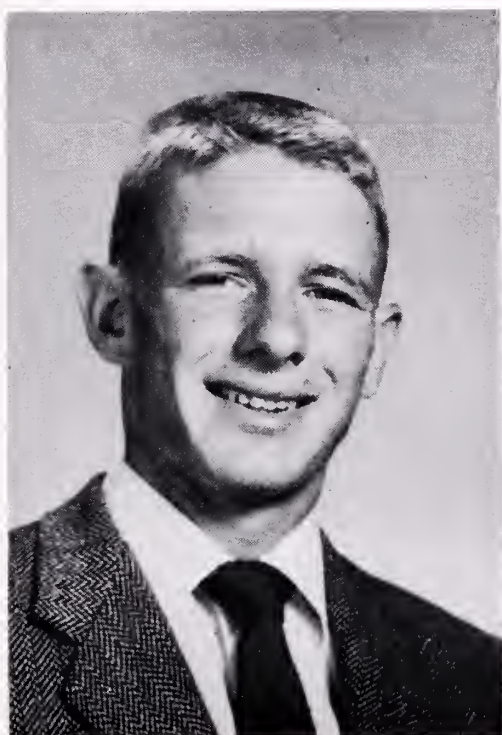


SENIORS





President, Douglas Lane; Vice-President, Jimmie Cocke; Secretary, Toni Stanley; Treasurer, Lois Jean Jones; Reporter, Monika Lee Heuer.



DOUGLAS LANE - "Meat"

Class President and Treasurer; Annual Staff; Choral Group; King of Class; Co-Captain of Basketball Team; Captain of Football Team 3 years; F.F.A. 2 years; Secretary and Vice-President of F.F.A.; Sports-Football 4 years; Basketball 4 years; Baseball 1 year.

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JAMES BEVERLY COCKE "Jimmie"

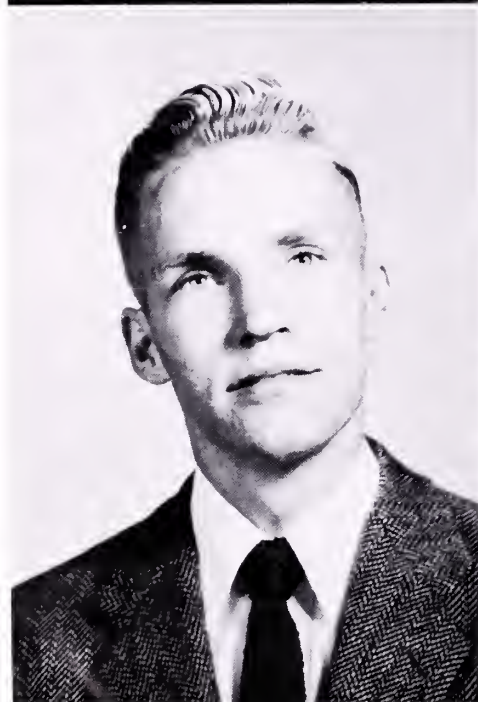
Vice-President Junior and Senior Year; Annual Staff; President S. C. A.; Choral Group; Vice President F. F. A.; Debating Team; Sports-Football 1 year; Basketball 3 years; Baseball 4 years.

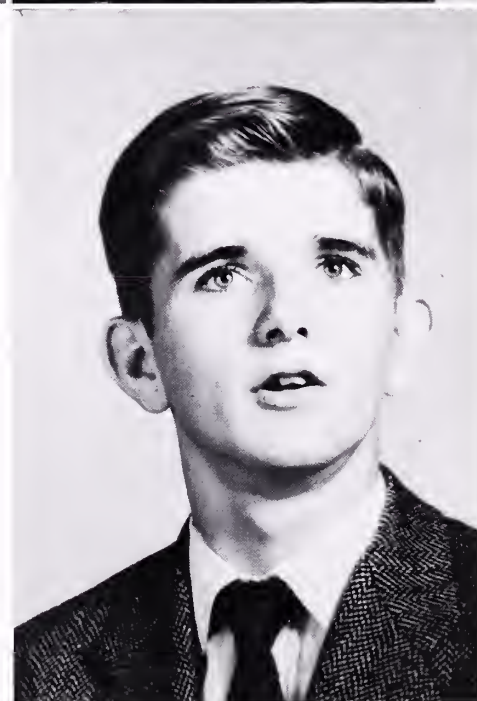
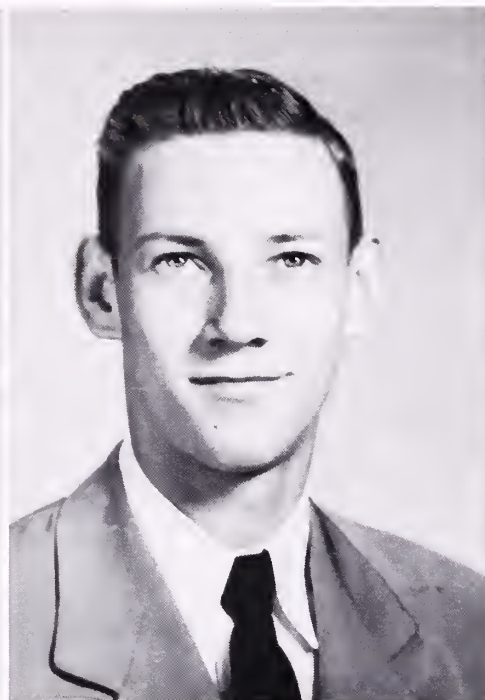
MONIKA LEE HEUER "Brains"

President, Parl. of F. H. A. Club; Class Reporter & Class Secretary; Queen of Class, Sophomore year; Delegate to F. H. A. Convention; Choral Group; Debating Team; Cheerleader; 4-H Club; Sports-Basketball 3 years; Softball 3 years; F. H. A. Club 4 years.

CLARENCE WESLEY EMBREY, JR. "Junior"

Senior Representative S. C. A.; Choral Group; King of High School "54-55"; Sports-Football 4 years.





SHIRLEY GAYLE "Honey"
Choral Group; Treasurer of F. H. A. ; Debating Team; 4-H Club;
Captain of Cheerleaders; Sports-Softball 4 years; Basketball 3 years.

DAVID HARTLEY "Doc"
Jr. Class President; Manager of the Basketball and Baseball Teams
for 4 years; Treasurer and President F. F. A. ; Debating Team;
Annual Staff; Delegate to "Boys State"; Delegate to F. F. A. Con-
vention; King of Junior Class; Choral Group.

TONI STANLEY "Sport"
Choral Group; Annual Staff; 4-H Club 4 years; F. H. A. Club 4
years; Reporter and Song Leader F. H. A. ; President F. H. A. ;
Oratorical winner; Secretary Class Jr. and Sr. Years.; Song
leader Class Jr. and Sr. Yrs.; Softball team 4 years; Basketball
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WILLIAM EUGENE GOODMAN "Billy"
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PAUL BARNETT NICHOLS "Paul"

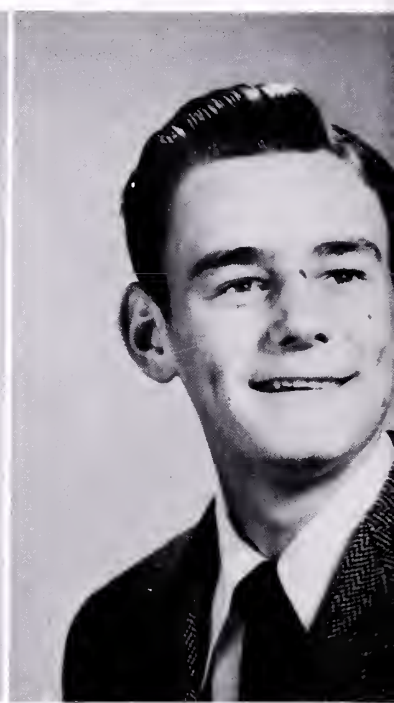
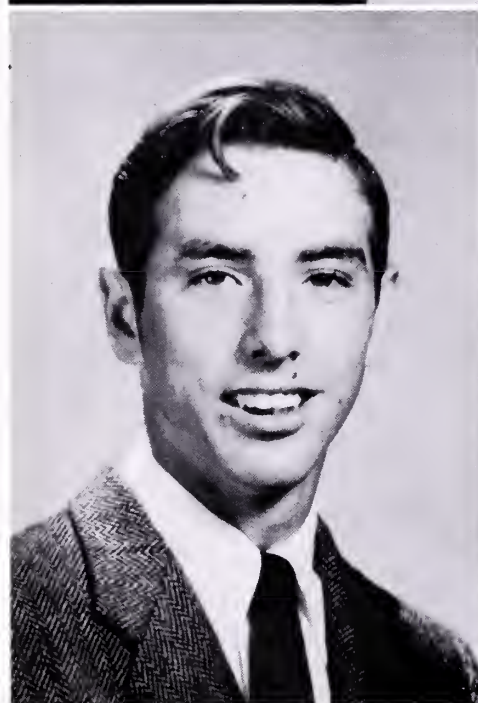
F. F. A. 2 years; Choral Group; King of sophomore class; Basketball 2 years; Football 3 years; Baseball 1 year.

EVELYN VIRGINIA LAYELL "Ebb"

Choral Group; F. H. A. 4 years; 4-H Club 3 years; Vice-President 4-H Club; Softball 4 years.

CHARLES RONALD GILBERT "Ronnie"

Choral Group; F. F. A. 4 years; Basketball 2 years; Football 2 years.





ELDRIDGE HARRIS "Erge"

Choral Group; Members of F.F.A. 4 years; Sports-Football 1 year, Baseball

NORMAN STANLEY "Brother"

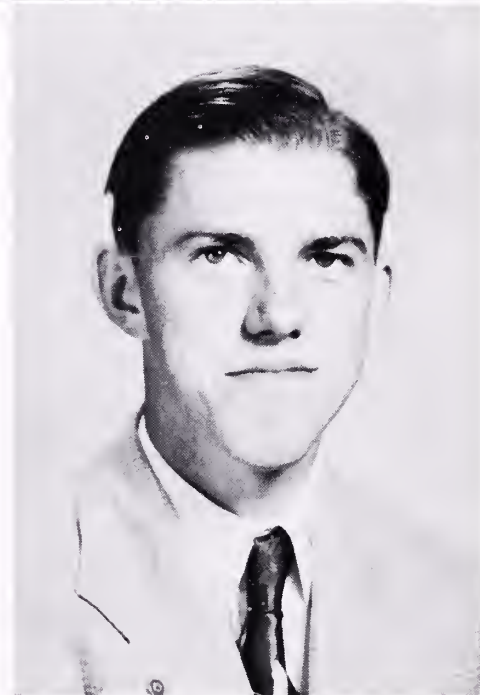
Choral Group; Member of F.F.A.; Sports-Basketball, Baseball.

LUCILLE GIBSON "Lucy"

Reporter of F.H.A.; Secretary of F.H.A.; Choral Group; Member of 4-H Club; Treasurer of 4-H Club; Sports-Basketball 3 years; Softball 4 years; Cheerleader 1 year.

DEWEY GARRETT "Lemon"

Member of F.F.A.; Sports-Baseball.



Seniors

Who's Who



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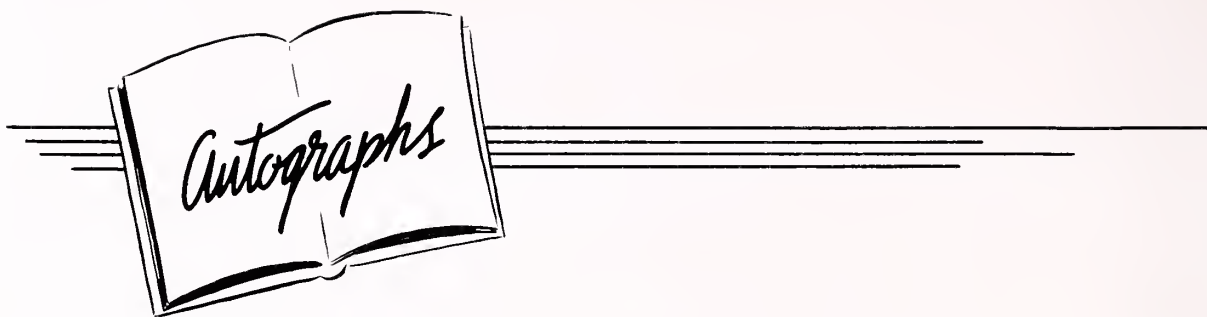
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Junior Class



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Secretary.	Alice Murphy
Treasurer.	.Early Hall



Betty Jane Farrell

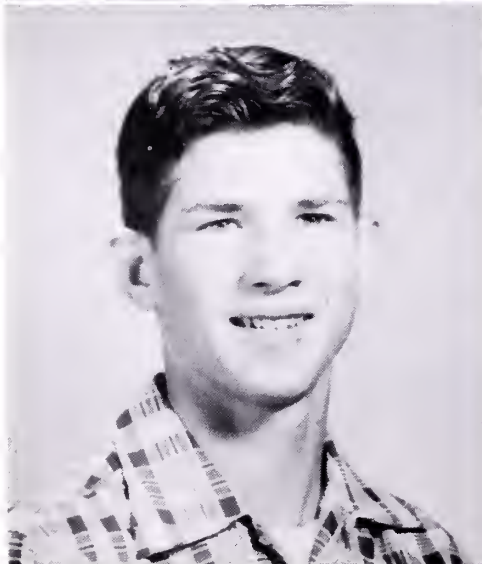


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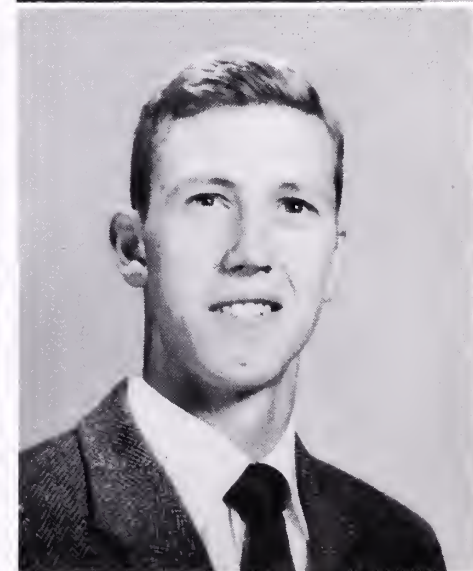
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Martha Corker



Davis Lee Gayle

Floyd Mathews



Who's Who



WITTIEST

Shirley Gayle
Junior Embrey

BEST DRESSED

Evelyn Layelle
Jimmy Cocke

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

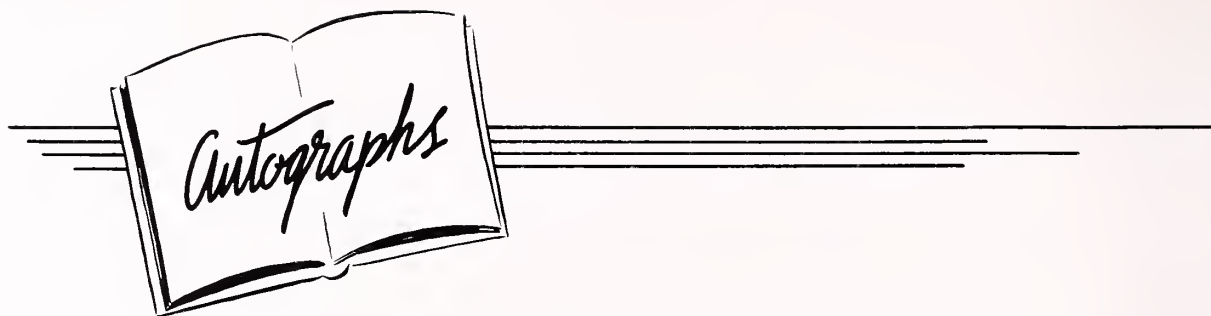
Monika Lee Heuer
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Sophomore Class

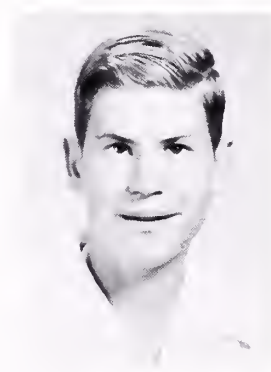


CLASS OFFICERS

President	Bobby Embrey
Vice-President	Hilda Corker
Secretary	Lois Askew
Treasurer	Betty Jane Harris
Song Leader	Phyllis Hall
Reporter	Ann Stanley



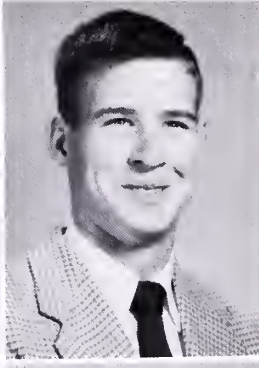
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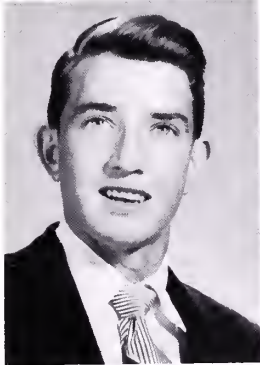
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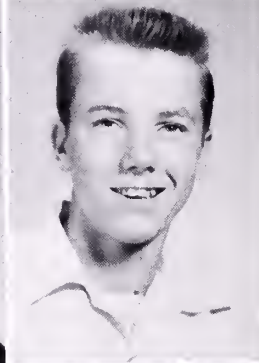
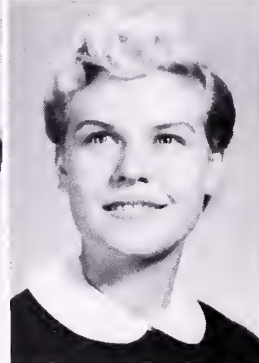
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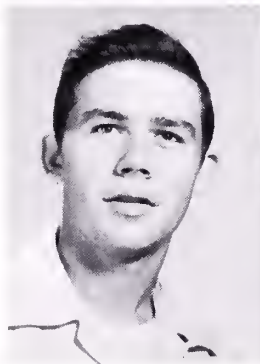
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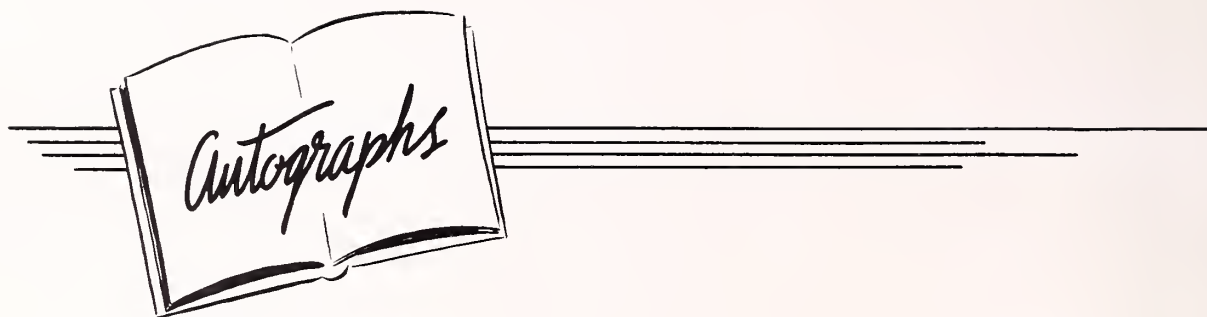
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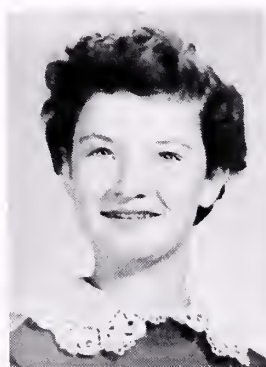
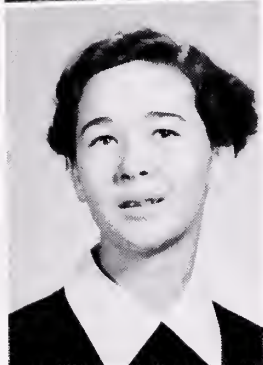
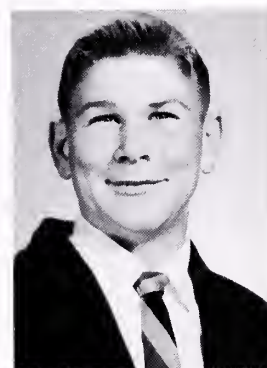


Freshman Class



CLASS OFFICERS

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Vice-President	Patricia Faber
Secretary	Margaret Mathews
Treasurer	Clarence Murphy
Reporter	Carolyn Corker



Thomas West
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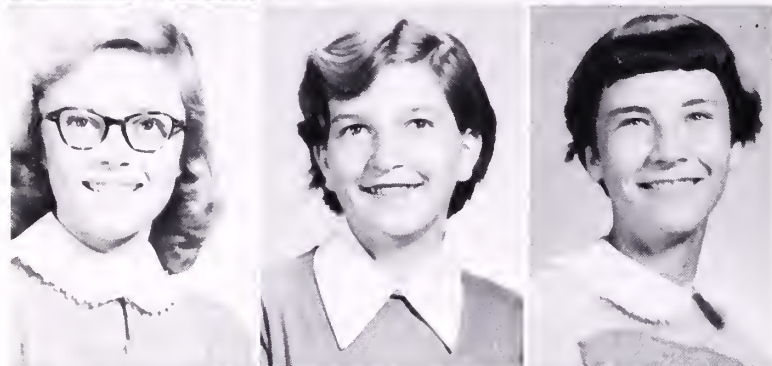
Freshmen



Sarah Jane Luck
Alvin Hall Jr.
Ann Coughenour



Leroy Vermillion
Charlotte Saunders
Gene Luck



Ethel Lynn Heuer
Dottie Carter
Shelby Jean Hall



Ronnie Melton
Patsy Ann Hall
Ralph Gilbert



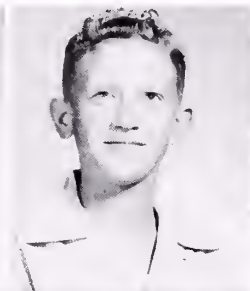
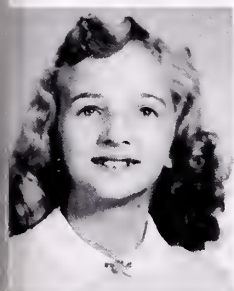
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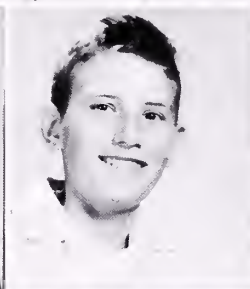
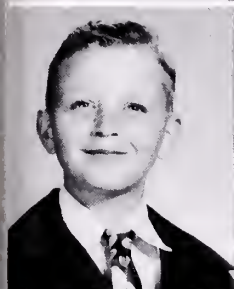
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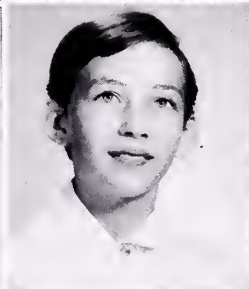
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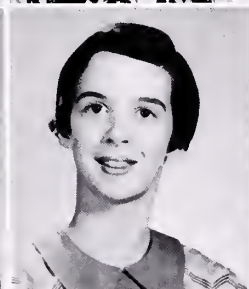
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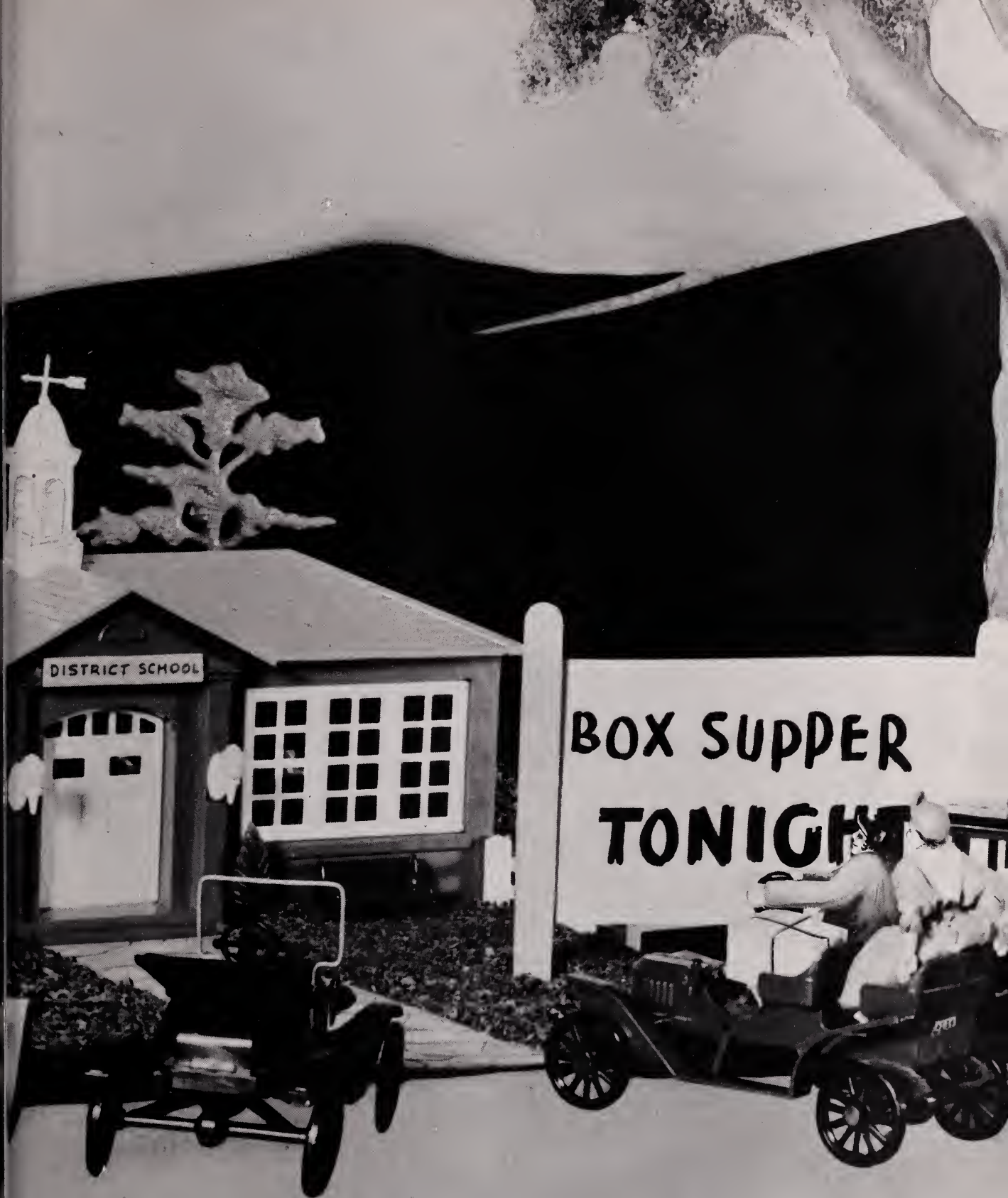
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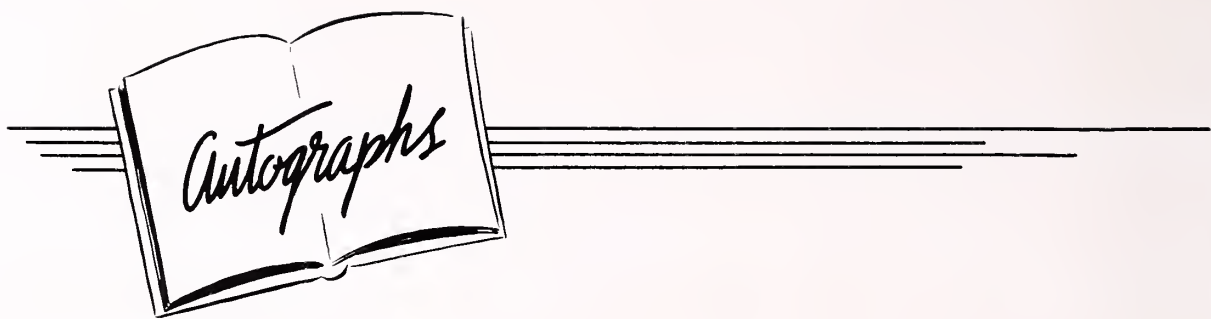








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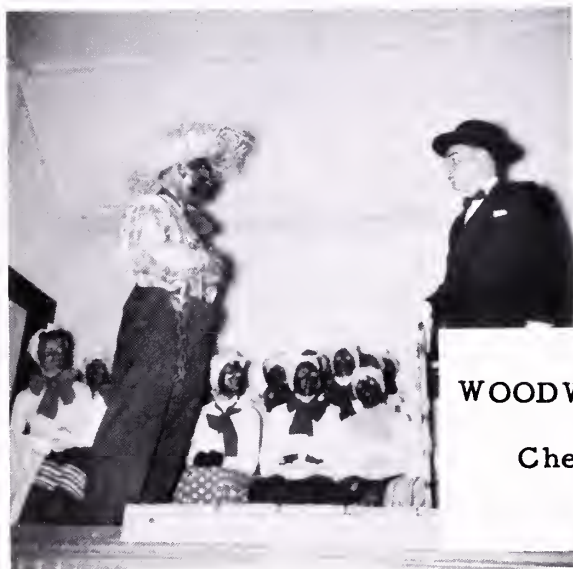
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LEFT TO RIGHT, FRONT ROW: Martha Corker, Toni Stanley, Charlotte Saunders, Carolyn Corker, Captain, Lois Jean Jones, Betty Jane Farrell, Shirley Gayle, Jane Adams, Mary Ann Harper, Lynn Heuer. LEFT TO RIGHT, BACK ROW: Nancy Luck, Manager, Alice Murphy, Betty Jane Harris, Hilda Corker, Evelyn Layell, Shelby Jean Hall, Phyllis Hall, Margaret Mathews, Lucille Gibson, Mrs. Forbes, Coach.



Cheerleaders



FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: Betty Jane Farrell, Phyllis Hall, Betty Jane Harris, Monika Heuer, Margaret Matthews, Shirley Gayle, Captain, Martha Corker, Carolyn Corker, Alice Murphy, Lucille Gibson, Patsy Hall.



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FIRST ROW: Captain, Douglas Lane. SECOND ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Ralph Gilbert, Franklin Gayle, Ronnie Melton, Clarence Murphy. THIRD ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Danny Nichols, Bobby Embrey, Eldridge Harris, David Jones, Eugene Tuttle, Billy Goodman, Carlton Luck, Jimmie Cocke, Paul Nichols, Coach Mr. Barret, Managers Floyd Matthews and Junior Embrey.



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Fred Hastings	Douglas Lane
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Julie Tucker.	Monika Heuer
Larry Madison	Jimmie Cocke
Bill Sterling.	Paul Nichols
Mr. Danbury	David Hartley
Gloria Patterson	Shirley Gayle
Lois Corwin	Toni Ann Stanley
Melinda Whipple	Lucille Gibson

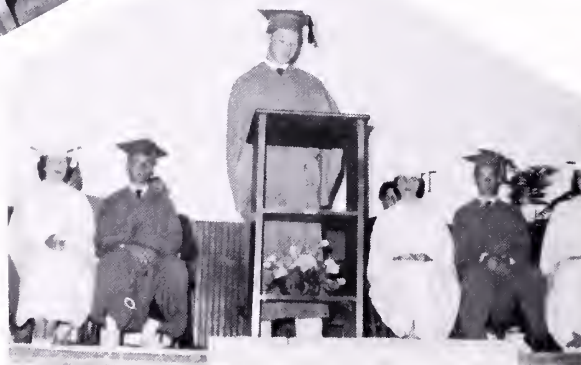


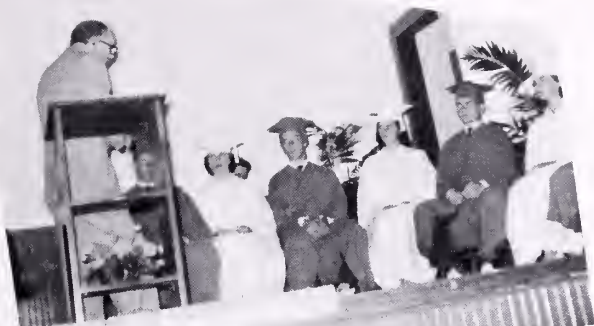
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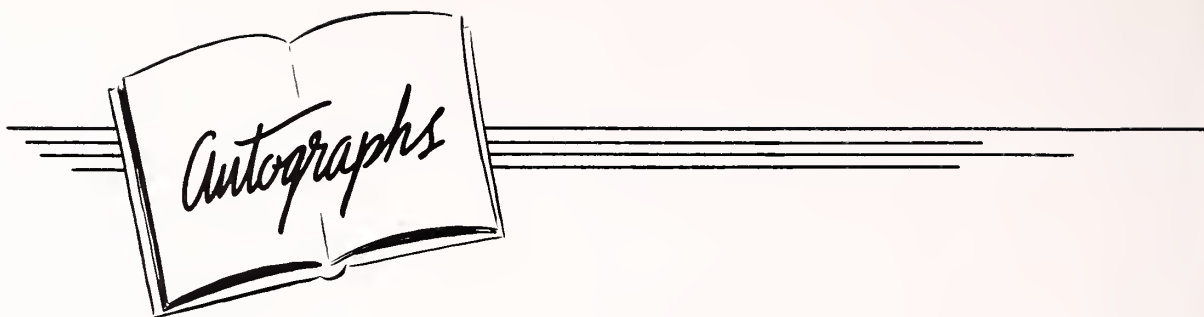
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